

END OF YEAR

Tonight Secretary Escott, of the Y. M. C. A. Will Be Re-elected.

ASSOCIATION PROSPEROUS

The Expenses for the Coming Year Will Be Fully Met By Subscriptions.

THE NEW GYMNASIUM WORK

Beginning Sunday, September 1, 1901 the local Y. M. C. A. will open up a new year with the burden of debt lifted from its shoulders. The board of directors will meet tonight and make a call for a secretary for the new year and Mr. Escott, the present efficient secretary, will doubtless be re-elected.

The work for the winter will be mapped out and the association members intend to make the new year the best and most successful the association has ever known.

The financial committee has reported the best of success and there have been enough subscriptions made to cover all the debts of the association. Most of the subscriptions have been made payable after October and by January all the subscriptions will have been collected and the obligations of the association fully met.

Secretary Escott said this morning in speaking of the work for the winter and also other arrangements relative to the gymnasium and the management of the same. "The outlook for the educational work of the association is excellent and we will make it a feature of the work. Evening classes will be established and I think there will be no difficulty in arousing the necessary interest in the work to make it a decided success.

"This will be one of the departments to be discussed and mapped out at the meeting of the board tonight. The physical department will also be discussed and arrangements made for the fall and winter work in this department.

"We intend to have a Leader class, a class to train the best pupils in athletics, to take charge of the classes and train the pupils. I will have charge of the Leaders' class and think it will have a membership of about six. Mr. Roy Potter, the physical director during the past winter, will probably not return and I will take the position until some one else is secured.

"One of the features of the 'gym' that will be new in Paducah, and one, that has been long needed, is a machine for testing the strength of the many different muscles or groups of muscles of the physical body. Dr. Sights and myself are getting the machine up and will probably have it finished by the middle of the next month. The idea was borrowed from another machine but some few improvements have been made and the machine will be a great help in the physical department as we can then tell the deficiencies in the muscular development of the pupils and then know what class of exercises for the pupil to take. All the measurements of the body can be taken with the machine and a chart of the pupils' physical development made out and given to him so that he might know what he is working for. The 'gym' is in good condition and we hope to arouse more interest in the work than has heretofore been manifested.

"We are also planning a more complete religious department and will have several new features added for the fall work, and hope to make it more successful than it has been the past year."

NO MONOPOLY.

ONLY ONE DAIRY IN THE COUNTY SOLD, ACCORDING TO REPORTS.

There has been a report afloat to the effect that a certain well known gentleman of the city was attempting to buy all the dairies in the surrounding country and secure a monopoly. A Sun reporter investigated the report but found that only one dairy had been sold, and that as far as was known the gentleman who purchased the dairy had no desire to secure a monopoly of the milk supply of the city. Milk has declined slightly but the decline was not occasioned by the fear of the supply going to people other than those who now control it. Dr. Hessig, the milk and meat inspector, says he thinks there is nothing in the report and that the decline in the price of milk is only natural as it is only a drop to the former price. The milkmen had all agreed on it before the decline was made.

Lieutenant Moore has returned from the Conclave, and reports a most enjoyable time.

CAUGHT AT LAST.

Roy Mallory Captured By Deputy Marshal La Rue.

He Had Been Dodging About for Several Months in Different States.

U. S. Deputy Marshal La Rue goes about his business in a very quiet but masterful manner. Several days ago he went to Louisville "to attend the convalesce," which he did, but from subsequent happenings it has developed that he had other motives than to merely attend the Knight Templar celebration.

He slipped into the city night before last and yesterday morning went down the N., C. and St. L. railroad unknown to the majority of the citizens. He returned last night in company with Roy Mallory, who is charged with illicit whiskey dealings. The prisoner has been skipping around the country, first in Tennessee, then in Missouri and then to some other locality, always to evade the government officers who have been after him for the past several months. He was at last located near Farmington and Marshal La Rue stole a march on him yesterday and made the capture. Mallory probably thought he was in Louisville but soon learned his mistake. He will be taken to Hopkinsville tomorrow where the witnesses are secured, and tried before Commissioner Ferguson and if held over, which is very probable, will be returned to Paducah to await the action of the federal court at the next term in November.

A GHOST.

Causes a Man To Leave Home and Disappear.

Great Excitement in the Vicinity of Seventh and Jackson Streets.

A "ghost" caused the separation of Motorman George Keeney and his wife, and created no little excitement in the vicinity of Seventh and Jackson streets. Last night at last a hundred people were to witness the manifestations of the supposed apparition, which has thus far done no damage other than to rap on the doors and walls. The tapping was first heard by Mrs. Keeney on the night of the storm when the Golconda was lost, and since that time had been heard many times but Monday and Tuesday night it became so bad that the neighbors were called in to help ferret out the mystery. The sound was low but distinct and sounded like some one knocking on the front door. When the front door was opened the knocking would then be heard at the back door and sometimes at the middle of the house, on a door entering into the dining room. Mrs. Keeney said that an examination had been made and that no loose boards had been found, and that no rats had been seen about the place. She says she thinks it was a warning or an omen of the bad luck which has now befallen her.

Yesterday afternoon her husband came off duty and retired for the afternoon as he was in the habit of doing. He got up late in the afternoon and kissed her several times, telling her how much he loved her, and, finally, taking his hat, he left saying that he wanted no supper. When night came he did not show up and Mrs. Keeney, becoming alarmed at his prolonged absence, started out in quest of him.

She boarded the Rowlandtown line thinking he was on that run but found that he had not been to work. She then took the Trimble street line and the motorman on that line informed her that Mr. Keeney had told him to give her a message but as he did not have the heart to send her word he thought it better to wait and deliver the message in person.

According to Mrs. Keeney the message was "tell her that I love her more than any one but that I can not live with her."

The house was surrounded by hundreds of curious persons last night who came to hear the sound and they raised such a disturbance that the police had to disperse them. Mrs. Keeney has had all her household furnishings packed up and stored away and will leave the haunted house and return to her home in Princeton with her father, Mr. W. S. Allison, who was called to the city this morning by his daughter. The couple had been married one year, this October 19 and came here from near Princeton.

It is thought that Keeney has gone to St. Louis and the cause of his strange actions can not be accounted for as he has never had any domestic troubles so far as it is known.

Winstead's Laxative Phosphate cures chronic constipation.

LABOR DAY

A Monster Barbecue To Be One of the Features of the Day.

COMMITTEES APPOINTED

Names of the Candidates for Goddess of Labor—Many Miners Coming.

BIGGEST CELEBRATION HERE

Every day the labor day workers add some new feature to the program. Already it is more complete than any ever before arranged and the celebrations will be remembered as the most successful in the history of Southwestern Kentucky.

The latest thing added is a big barbecue. The following meats will be procured and an expert man at the barbecue will have charge of the cooking: Twenty-four dozen chickens, roast, lamb, pork, beef, and other meats. There will be plenty to eat for everybody and there will be no occasion for anybody leaving the grounds for dinner or supper. The firemen at the Central department are busy today shining up the fire engines for the big parade. They intend to make a fine showing and will all have the sharpest razor creases in their trousers and the brightest flowers in the laps of their coats.

All the different trade unions are planning to get up the best appearance and the L. C. blacksmiths think they will "throw the other trades in the shade." They will appear in their overalls, black shirts and caps each carrying his sledge.

The parade will be different from any other ever seen and all the trades men will be attired in dress corresponding to their vocation.

The Central body met last night to further arrangements.

The following are the candidates for Goddess of Labor: Miss Mamie Phelps, for the leather workers; Miss Sue Garvey, for the ship carpenters and Miss Nellie Farrow, for the painters.

The line of march will be: Jefferson and Ninth to Jackson; Jackson to Fifth; Fifth to Court, Court to First, First to Broadway; Broadway to Twelfth, Twelfth to Jefferson. There the parade will disband and the whites will go to La Belle park and the colored contingent to Eureka park for the day's exercises.

Grand Marshal Ed Pierson has appointed the following aids: Dick Woods, of the leatherworkers; Zack Bryant, of the clerks and James Mason, of the machinists.

Mr. Chas. Farrow writes that at least 1,200 miners will be here to participate and perhaps more. He is now at work in the mining district in the interest of the celebration.

The following merchants have agreed to close their stores at 10 a. m. Labor day: Wallerstein Bros., W. K. Poage, D. Desborger, B. Weille and Sons, L. B. Ogilvie and Co., Boldry and Roberts, John Bleich, J. L. Wolf, Eley Dry Goods Co., G. D. Palmer, Geo. Rock and Son, E. Guthrie and Co., Wahl and Sons, H. Diehl and Sons, John J. Dorian, Dreyfus and Bro., Geo. Bernhard, Geo. O. Hart and Son, Wm. Nagel, H. Runge, Lendler and Lydon, Rhodes-Burford Co., F. H. Gardner and Co., Paducah Furniture Co., J. W. Glovers and Son, E. B. Harbour, Hank Bros. and Jones, M. E. Jones, John Doherty, T. Schwab, Rudy, Phillips and Co., Cochran Shoe Co.

The following is floor committee for the dancing pavilion: Gus McMahon, of the leatherworkers; Harry Green, of the Typographical union; John Wallace, of the electricians; Sam Whitmer, of the machinists; V. G. Berry, of the railway car builders and George Magde, of the retail clerks; Jack Hofflich, of the retail clerks was appointed caller for the dances.

The tin, sheet iron and metal workers also think they will make the best showing in the parade. They will wear real stove pipe hats, made of genuine stove pipe metal and will carry tin umbrellas and tin walking sticks. There will be fewer tinsmiths than blacksmiths however, and this is where the blacksmiths are banking on taking the prize.

WILL SIZZLE.

THIS MAN BURNS AT THE STAKE FOR AN OUTRAGE.

Holmes, Mo., August 29.—Men have surrounded Bonnie Francis, the negro who outraged and murdered Miss Henderson, and will burn him at the stake.

REJECTS ARBITRATION.

Indianapolis, Ind., August 29.—Mr. Charles M. Schwab, of the steel trust, has rejected the arbitration plan of settling the strike.

GREAT DISASTER.

Eleven Dead and Many Hurt at Philadelphia Last Night.

Boiler Exploded on The City of Trenton—Everyone is Accounted For.

Philadelphia, August 29.—Eleven are dead and none are missing as a result of the explosion on the City of Trenton yesterday, while thirty-two were seriously injured.

While the steamboat of the Wilmington Steamboat company, was on her way from this city to Trenton, N. J., her port boiler exploded.

After the explosion the boat took fire and ran aground. She now lies a wrecked and blackened hulk in the marshes opposite Torresdale, sixteen miles above this city. Her hold is filled with water and it is feared more of her passengers and crew may be found in the bottom of the boat when the water is pumped out.

THE DEAD.

J. D. CHEW, assistant engineer. MISS ELIZABETH GREEN, Philadelphia.

TWO FIREMEN, names unknown. ONE DECKHAND, name unknown.

TWO PASSENGERS, names unknown. MRS. JOHN MATHEWS, Philadelphia.

MRS. MATILDA CROSS, Philadelphia. Two children who were seen to jump overboard.

NO MEETING.

Council Will Adjourn Monday on Account of Labor Day.

A Kick to be Raised About Paying for The Gravel Bought by The City.

The regular meeting of the city council is for Monday night, but on account of its being labor day, there will be no session.

Mayor Lang stated this morning that he would be there with the clerk and perhaps one or two members of the council and they will prepare the business for the following night.

Tuesday one of the features of the meeting will be a kick against the gravel bid. The city is getting gravel at 60 cents, but it is claimed has been getting short measure. It is said that Councilman Hannon and Davis measured some of it not long since and found that the average was 27 or 28 cubic feet to the load, instead of 33, making the city pay about 75 instead of 60 cents per yard. It is understood they will object to the bill brought in Monday.

GOOD CHANCES.

Deputy Clerk Hobson Returns From Texas Much Encouraged.

He Finds the Land in Bad Shape, and Leaves Attorneys in Charge of Case.

Deputy Circuit Clerk John B. Hobson returned this morning from Fairfield, Freestone county, Texas, where he had been for the past two weeks investigating the title to 27,000 acres of land to which the Hobsons are heirs.

Mr. Hobson employed attorneys, and found the land in a very bad condition, but feels confident that he and the other heirs will establish their claim to it. It is very valuable, and he is much encouraged over the outlook.

While in Texas he was well treated by all with whom he came in contact, and when he left placed his case in the hands of competent attorneys and expects a report from them in due time.

STOCK COMPANY.

MR. WALTER DU PREE TO ORGANIZE ONE IN CINCINNATI.

Mr. Walter Du Pree and wife went to Cincinnati today at noon where he will organize a stock company for the winter. Mr. Du Pree has been the pianist at the park theater this season and his playing was satisfactory in every respect. He is about the best that has ever played a season at the park.

Prof. Farnham will have charge of the piano during the remainder of the season.

DEATH AT WOODVILLE.

Harvey Page, one year old, died at Woodville from summer complaint last night, burial today at Bayou church. He was a son of Mr. C. T. Page.

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MUST IMPROVE

The Property Owners to Be Compelled to Repair the Side Walks.

THE CITY COUNCIL MEETS

Nineteen Ordinances for Improvements Passed—One Was Deferred.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE MEETING

The council met last night in called session and passed nineteen ordinances. Most of them were for reconstructing sidewalks, and inaugurate a new method of improvement, the contracts to be let by the city, and the property owners compelled to pay for the reconstruction as they would new pavements.

Councilmen Davis, Jones, Johnson, Gilson, Jackson, Bondurant, Hannon and Weille were present.

Contracts for street improvements were ratified as follows:

The paving of Washington street from Seventh to Ninth, awarded to the Paducah Transfer company. For the improvement of Eighth street from Jones to Bockman at 54 1-2 cents to E. C. Terrell. For the improvement of Harrison street from Fourteenth to Sixteenth streets awarded to J. W. Baker at 25 1-2 cents per foot. Madison street from Fourteenth to Sixteenth same at same figure.

Saloon licenses transferred: A. Denker, at Ninth and Washington, to Chas. Denker; J. T. Quarles at Ninth and Court to Fred Roumaise; Standard saloon, North Fourth, to James McNulty.

The following ordinances were given first passage: Providing for the reconstruction of the sidewalks and gutters on the North side of Court street between Sixth and Seventh; for reconstructing sidewalks, curbs and gutters on the north side of Court street between Seventh and Ninth; for the south side of Court between Seventh and Ninth. The ordinances were drawn separately because the necessary improvement is unequal; the reconstruction of the sidewalks on both sides of Broadway from Fifth to Seventh; for repairing Sixth street on the east side from Broadway to Court; the reconstruction of sidewalks on both sides of Court street from Second to Third; the reconstruction of sidewalks on both sides of Court from Third to Fourth streets; the reconstruction of sidewalks on Court street from Fourth to Sixth streets; for reconstructing sidewalks on Second street from Jefferson to Madison; for the improvement of Fourth street from Broadway to Jefferson; for reconstructing the sidewalks on Second street between Broadway and Jefferson; the reconstruction of the sidewalks on Third street from Broadway to Court streets; for the improvement of an alley from Tennessee street to Jones between Fourth and Fifth streets; the work to be completed November 15; for the improvement of an alley from Ohio to Tennessee street between Fourth and Eighth street; for the improvement of Madison street from Fountain avenue to Bradshaw's line; for the reconstruction of the sidewalks on Second street between Broadway and Court.

An ordinance for reconstructing sidewalks from Seventh to Ninth on Broadway was defeated, Councilman Weille desiring the pavements to be of granite.

An ordinance requiring the improvement of Adams street from Ninth to Tenth streets by grading and graveling was referred until the next meeting.

The council adjourned.

HEAVY COSTS.

WHAT THE CITY HAS PAID FOR FIGHTING SMALLPOX IN FOUR YEARS.

Mayor Lang this morning, in response to an inquiry from the state board of health, looked up the cost of smallpox to the city of Paducah during the four years past, and was astonished to find that it was \$8,267.55. The cost by years was: '98, \$189.45; '99, \$1,635.73; 1900, \$5,192.61; this year, \$1,359.77. There has been additional cost to the county also, but nothing like the above.

ORGANIZE STOCK YARDS.

Among the Paducah men interested in the new stock yards at Louisville to cost \$300,000 are B. H. Hurt, president; R. C. Watkins, vice president and Harry Ashcraft, secretary and treasurer. The company has 26 acres and pens to accommodate 2500 cattle and 10,000 hogs. October 15 is the date the company expects to begin operations.

GOT AWAY.

Man Found Near Ogden's Landing Floated Away.

Jury Decided That the Baby Found Near Ragland Was Murdered.

The body of the unknown man found in the drift near Ogden's Landing night before last got away. The man who discovered it reported it at Ogden's Landing just as the Fowler arrived night before last, and Captain Crider instructed him to tie it up and await advice from Paducah. It seems the farmer was afraid of it, however, and when the crowd reached the place later the body had floated out of the drift and got away, and has not been seen since.

The remains of the baby found in the river below Ragland yesterday morning were not identified, and the child had lived but a few hours. It was fully developed, naked, and the find created great excitement in that section. There was nothing to show how far it floated, and the jury returned a verdict that it came to its death by foul means and the body was buried near where it was found.

There have been no further developments in the case.

ALL ADVANCED.

Officers Elected By the Conclave This Morning.

Many Knights are Leaving for Home—Grand Ball Given Tonight.

Louisville, August 29.—The conclave is electing officers today. Henry Stoddard, of Texas, was made grand master, George Moulton, Chicago, deputy grand master, and all the others were advanced. The ball tonight will be the grandest social function ever given in Louisville. Many of the Knights are now leaving for home.

MARRIED AT METROPOLIS. POPULAR YOUNG PEOPLE WENT DOWN FOR A QUIET WEDDING.

Mr. Joe Keenan, an employee of the Paducah Brewing company, and Miss Nannie Babb went to Metropolis this morning on the steamer Covington and were married at noon.

Mr. Keenan is a brother-in-law of Mr. L. L. Levin, the grocer, and has many friends here who will be pleasantly surprised to learn of the marriage. Miss Babb is the daughter of Mr. Alex Babb, of the Conahans Mfg. Co., and she is a popular young lady among her many acquaintances.

The couple was accompanied to Metropolis by Miss Bonnie Hannan and will return to the city this afternoon to reside at 1315 Trimble street. The marriage had been set for an earlier date but was postponed until today. It was not a runaway match.

DIED IN LOUISVILLE.

FORMER PADUCAH WOMAN PASSED AWAY THERE LAST NIGHT.

Mrs. Ann E. Norton, aged about 70, and formerly of Paducah, died last night at her home in Louisville from general debility. The deceased was widow of the late W. F. Norton, a prominent banker of Paducah, and for many years lived here. She leaves one son, Mr. W. F. Norton, of Louisville. She was a relative of the Misses Morton, of the city, and Misses Mary and Adine Morton, of this place, were at her bedside when she died. The funeral arrangements have not been announced.

FOR OIL.

COMPANY TO BORE IN LIVINGS-TON COUNTY NEAR SALEM.

Marion, Ky., August 29.—Mr. Wm. Lowrey, the most industrious and one of the most reliable mineralogists in this district states that a company is in process of organization to bore for oil in the Salem country. He says that all the geological formations indicate oil at a depth of a few hundred feet, and capitalists have become so thoroughly convinced that they are willing to risk a few wells.

HOGS IN MECHANICSBURG.

THE CITY WILL STOP THE RAVAGES THERE.

Mayor Lang has received many complaints of hogs running at large in Mechanicsburg and after instructing Marshal Collins to investigate the matter, ascertained today that most of the hogs belong to people living outside the city limits. Officers are at work now getting their names.

NOT EXPECTED

Roadmaster L. A. Downs Was Presented With a Fine Diamond.

WAS VERY MUCH SURPRISED

The Pleasant Event at Louisville—Big Business on the Illinois Central.

THE LATEST RAILROAD MATTERS

Mr. L. A. Downs, formerly roadmaster of the Louisville division of the I. C., but now on the Mississippi division in the same capacity was tendered a very pleasant surprise Sunday in Louisville by the employees of the road department of the I. C., over whom he formerly had supervision. They presented him with a fine \$155 diamond ring, and so greatly surprised him that for a while he was unable to respond. He finally, however, in an eloquent manner expressed his appreciation of the compliment paid him and expressed his gratitude towards the men who had remembered him so handsomely.

Mr. Bell Given, of the Master mechanic's department, returned from Chicago this morning. He had been up on business and reported the crowds returning from Chicago enormous. There were many thousand excursionists carried into the Windy City.

by the big I. C. excursion and Paducah made a fair showing with her delegation. Most of the excursionists from here returned by way of Fulton, on the early morning accommodation.

Assistant Civil Engineer P. D. Fitzpatrick of Louisville division of the I. C. was in the city this morning en route from Fulton to his headquarters in Louisville.

The Wood Workers and Metal Workers of the I. C., will meet again at Kewlandtown Sunday in a match game of baseball. Both teams have been greatly strengthened and the game will be one of the hottest of the season.

Mr. Dick Tolbert, night watchman at the I. C. shops, is on the sick list and unable to be on duty. Mr. George Yapp is acting as substitute in his absence.

The railroad people who are doing preliminary work on the bank of the Ohio river in Crittendon county opposite Cave-in-Rock, have two drills at work; one in the river and one on the bank. At 105 feet they found solid limestone.

COUNTY COURT.

VEAL CASE SET FOR MONDAY BEFORE JUDGE EMERY.

The trial of Rufe Veal, charged with obtaining money by false pretenses by selling a boiler that didn't belong to him to the Jackson foundry for \$75, is set for Monday before County Judge Emery.

The Brunswick Balke & Gilender Co., of Cincinnati, gave R. E. Ashbrook the power of attorney to release a lien on the Elite Bowling alley owned by Crozier and Bondurant.

Mrs. T. G. Eubanks, widow of the late engineer Eubanks, qualified as administratrix of the estate in the county court yesterday afternoon.

SHIRT SALE

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Thomas Mattingly, Paducah.

A DAILY THOUGHT.
Genius doth what it must and talent does what it can.—Owen Meredith.

UNCONSTITUTIONAL

APPORTIONMENT.

The present constitution of Kentucky says the Louisville Commercial, which, by the way, is the fourth, adopted in 1891, provided in its 33d section as follows: "The first general assembly, after the adoption of this constitution, shall divide the state into 35 senatorial districts and 100 representative districts as nearly equal in population as may be without dividing any county, except where a county may include more than one district, which districts shall constitute the senatorial and representative districts for ten years. Not more than two counties shall be joined together to form a representative district. Provided, in doing so the principle requiring every district to be as nearly equal in population as may be, shall not be violated. At the expiration of that time the general assembly shall then, and every ten years thereafter, redistrict the state according to this rule, and for the purpose expressed in this section. If in making such districts inequality of population should be unavoidable, any advantage resulting therefrom shall be given to districts having the larger territory."

This last phrase evidently means that a sparse population, extending over a large territory should be held equivalent to a large population on a smaller territory.

In 1893, under this new constitution, a new apportionment was made, and its variations from constitutional requirements are remarkable.

For instance, in the senatorial districts, Henry, Oldham, Carroll and Trimble, constituted the Twenty-first senatorial district, with a population, according to the census of 1890, of 39,324, while to make the Seventeenth district Bell, Knox, Laurel, Jackson, Pulaski, Rockcastle and Whitley, with a territory three times as large and a population of 99,244, according to the same census, were put together. That arrangement violated plainly two provisions of the constitution.

So in regard to representative districts. The constitution says not more than two counties shall be joined to make a representative district, and yet the ninety-third district, by the act of 1893, was made to embrace the counties of Bell, Harlan, Leslie and Perry, with 26,804 population and a territory almost equal to the Seventh congressional district, while the little counties of Larned, with 9,445 population, and Meade, with 9,481 population, and McLean, with 9,887 population, were each made representative districts. According to the constitution, making allowances for population and territory, Harlan, Leslie, Bell and Perry ought to have had more representatives than those three counties, and yet, by the act of 1893, they had only one to the three from the other smaller counties.

If a case had been made against the apportionment act of 1893 before the court of appeals, even as then constituted, The Commercial believes it would have been declared unconstitutional, as a similar act was declared

unconstitutional by the supreme court of Indiana.

Paducah is behind many cities in the state in the matter of having county fairs. Whether these fairs are obsolete or not, they continue to be given all over the state every fall, and people regard it as a matter of wonder that Paducah never has one. There is ample population in this section to pay the expenses of one, and there have been in the past many opportunities to support a fair association, but somehow one has never been a success. The obvious cause is that one has never been managed right, and if a fair, arranged on modern lines, and conducted on a liberal, but not too liberal plan, were attempted, there is no reason why it should not be a success. The old time fair may be out of date, but it is a "thing of beauty and a joy forever" to enough people still to warrant its success if properly managed. Paducah is large enough to have horse racing, stock exhibitions and other things that other cities in the state have, and the fact that she does not should prove sufficient incentive to the people to co-operate in any move to provide them. Paducah might have fairs every year just to sustain her reputation and keep up appearances, if for no other reason.

Councilman James Weille's position on the reconstruction of the pavements on Broadway is well taken, in the opinion of a great many people, but Mayor Lang claims it is impracticable. Councilman Weille thinks that Paducah is so large she should have her pavements on Broadway, at least below Ninth, constructed of concrete. This is perhaps an excellent idea, and Mayor Lang agrees that the pavements should be of concrete, if possible, but contends that as Paducah will at some future time have storm water sewerage on Broadway, this would necessitate the tearing up of the concrete sidewalks, and entail no little loss to those citizens who had paid to have them put down. But if the pavements are to be rebuilt, they ought to be made in keeping with the importance of the city, and the locality in which they are reconstructed. Storm water sewerage is not a certainty for any time. If it is built, it may not be for years, and concrete does not last forever. It seems that the consensus of opinion is in favor of the best possible pavements in the business part of town. The storm water sewerage may be considered later on, if it is ever considered at all.

Mrs. Eugenia M. Jones now has charge of the Press-Poss, at Columbus, Ohio, and will run it on a unique plan. All the employees are to share in an equal distribution of half the profits, which is to be made on Christmas and the Fourth of July. Conditions of employment are "that interdependence among editors and employees shall not be contemplated; that every editor and proof-reader shall have a college education, and that no business of any sort shall be transacted with any individual, firm or corporation without recognized financial standing." The last provision is directed against those labor unions that are not incorporated, have no financial standing, and are not responsible for the business of a concern.

If map are anything like silk worms, the following may have some bearing on the future perpetuation of species: "Experiments made with silkworms tended to show that those kept under dark colored glass ate less than those kept under light colored glass, and also that under the darker glass the percentage of males produced was greater than under light glass. M. Flammarion thinks that his experiments coincide with the theory that a preponderance of male births occur when there is a diminution in the quantity and quality of nourishment, supposing that sex can be influenced by external circumstances at all."

A temperance fanatic learned up in Zanesville, Ohio, the other day, that speech is not as free as some people might suppose, and further, that some saloon keepers stand well in their communities. He made vicious personal attacks on several of the saloon men in a sermon, thinking perhaps that his calling would insure him against violence, but he was summarily treated to a healthy shower of decaying hen fruit, of stones and sticks, and if the police had not arrived it is believed would have made a first class subject for an autopsy. The moral is that there is a limit to everything, even free speech.

It will be no surprise. Mrs. Carrie Nation has appeared in Paducah. This was about the only thing she hadn't done to startle the natives. She hired herself out in Philadelphia to open a vaudeville show the other day and made one of her characteristic tirades against saloons. The mayor of the city declined to see her, but a lot of nutshells hung around the hotel all day trying to get a free look at her, when a peep at the smasher in worth as much as a nickel or dime to anyone. It is announced that Mrs. Nation's vaudeville engagement was only temporary.

The supreme court of the District of Columbia has decided that the "squaw men" had no claim to territory in the tract recently ceded by the Kiowa and other tribes. They sued the secretary of the interior claiming right to allotments, and asked a mandamus, but the court sustained the secretary, and said that the exercise of discretion was essential in opening such lands for settlement, and that he did not deem it wise to interfere with such a privilege by an executive

officer.

Those who have long rested in the belief that hell was a myth will be disappointed to learn that an Indiana Bible conference has decided otherwise. At the conclusion of a ten days' session the other day a conference was called, the subject discussed thoroughly, and the unanimous decision was that there is a hell, and that future punishment should be more extensively preached than it was in the olden times. Thus are our fondest delusions dispelled.

The opening of the Kentucky promenade to be the most brilliant social event of the year, and in addition to the hundreds of Paducahans who will attend, there will be fair visitors from many of the surrounding cities. The opening, being a benefit performance, should be, and no doubt will be, liberally patronized, and a better, bigger or more up-to-date attraction, than "The Burgomaster," could not have been secured for the auspicious function.

Indiana is no longer a place of Gretna Greens, owing to a decision of the attorney general of the state who is married himself and has no sympathy for those who want to be. Under his construction of the law, the bride must have resided in the state for thirty days before application is made for a marriage license. Couples are still welcome down at Metropolis, however.

For the first time in the history of local politics "Chairman" Joe Potter declined to be interviewed yesterday. The election commissioner's appointment must have hit him a solar plexus blow.

THE PERFECTION OF

DISINFECTION.

In an interesting paper in the September number of Frank Leslie's Popular Monthly on "How Yellow Fever is Fought," the writer describes the remarkable precaution taken at the port of New Orleans.

When the vessel has tied up to the wharf the first step is the removal of the bedding, clothing and cushions and other cloth fabrics to the quarantine shed. Here they are hung on a framework consisting of a series of racks suspended from a long car running on a track and so arranged that when the racks are filled the whole thing may be run inside one of the three great disinfecting cylinders with which the station is equipped.

These cylinders are enormous steel rollers, fifty feet in length by eight feet in diameter and fitted inside with continuous coils of steam pipe. The cylinders are covered with asbestos and swathed in felt, and when the cylinder caps are on they are air tight. When the clothing has been placed inside and the cylinders closed dry heat is forced through the pipes at a temperature of 180 degrees, and this is followed by moist heat raised to a temperature of 230 degrees. The pressure of from six to eight pounds put upon this steam heat is sufficient to force it through heavy mattresses or bundles of clothing.

After a period which varies from thirty minutes to an hour the cylinders are opened, the racks are run out and the rapid evaporation which follows, causes the clothing to dry almost immediately. The clothing is submerged by this process and the moist heat is a thorough germicidal agent. It is an interesting fact that if a freshly laundered linen shirt or collar is put into the cylinder it will emerge thoroughly moist and apparently in need of another starching. The evaporation is so rapid, however, that it is immediately restored to its original condition, not even the gloss being removed.

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COURT AT EDDYVILLE.

Judge Thomas P. Cook, of Murray, was in the city last evening, enroute home from Eddyville, where he held circuit court. The term ended yesterday, and the next court he will hold will be at Cadiz, beginning next Monday.

\$100 REWARD, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreadful disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer one hundred dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address, F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by druggists, 75c. Hall's family Pills are the best.

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Observations

....at Random

When Opie Read and his partner were trying to make both ends meet with a weekly newspaper down in Arkansas years ago, they one day found themselves without money, fuel, food or credit. Their paper had been suspended by a constable who put a hog chain and padlock about the press. It was called the "Prairie Flower" and no wonder it didn't live long.

The ingenious editor, however, had a key made to fit the lock that held the chain about the press, and every day they got out a new paper called the "Log Chain." When the constable called he always found the press chained as he left it, and it was a source of continued wonder to him how they contrived to get out a paper without a press. Read thus tells it: "The name of the old paper was too effeminate, too pretty. I named it to please a widow who subscribed for two copies. But the new publication shall have a more masculine title. We will call it the Log Chain."

We did, and the paper had a spurt of life. Occasionally the constable called, but, always anticipated, found the press locked. He remarked that it was singular that a paper could be printed without the use of a press, and Warren replied that in the printing business there were many phases which a constable was not expected to understand. But one night when we were in a rush, having received an order for nearly a dozen extra papers, the agent of the law slipped in upon us and gruffly demanded the key to the situation. Anarchy was not a part of our plan, so we surrendered and thus the Log Chain existed only in back numbers.

Thus jolted, Warren's spirit drooped for a time, but arose again. "We can't afford to leave as good a town as this," he said. "When you quit a town you acknowledge defeat; it hurts your standing in the community when you quit a town. And aside from business reasons I want to stay here a while longer. I want to be an eye witness of the day when old man Tupelo can't cat. He was in bed all day yesterday, but this morning I saw him sitting at the window with a bowl of soup, and I halted long enough to tell him that he had but a few more bowls left. Oh, he's gone. Whenever a man migrates me, there's no use in talking, he can't stay here. You remember another house where we boarded. Fellow turned us out and a few days afterward had to make an assignment. There's only one thing that bothers me now—aside from something to eat—and that's the weather. It's turned so cold that we can't sleep up here, without fire, and even if we had a stove we couldn't afford to run it, along with our other expenses. But there ought to be some way to get around the weather."

Suddenly he began to ripple. "Oh, it's all right," he declared. "I knew that there was a solution. We sleep in a warm place, with servants to keep the fires going. We are all right."

"When is this to be? Next winter?" "Now—at once. Look here. We have annual passes on this railroad. A train leaves here about dark, going to Memphis. At about 12 o'clock it meets another train, coming back. We take the train at dark, change cars at midnight and get home in time for breakfast."

And this is what we did during the cold weather, until the passes expired, and then again we were thrown upon the cold world."

Mayor Jim Lang had an exciting experience while dove hunting day before yesterday. He was out near the Brewer farm, in the county, when a wounded dove, just as he stooped to pick it up, fluttered away, and as it zigzagged through the corn, he shot at it and missed.

Just then he heard a loud and blood curdling yell from the corn, followed by the words, "Hey, you s— of a b—! What in the h— do you mean?"

The mayor had about the same time he fired the first barrel, wheeled and followed it with the second, both missing—the bird. It was evident, however, that they did not miss the unknown man who was doing the yelling.

Before the echo of the first shot had died away and the unknown victim had given utterance to his howls of dismay, the second load was on its way, and was quickly followed by another yell of pain.

Mayor Lang was frightened. He

knew the man was hit, but he didn't know how bad.

"Are you hurt?" he shouted sympathetically.

"Hurt?—I—"

"Wait, I'm coming to you."

"Don't you come over here, you s—! You stay there!"

But Mayor Lang was frightened. He continued fighting his way through the corn, expressing regret at every step, and the unknown victim of his marksmanship was mad and frightened to hear the man with the gun coming towards him trudging through the corn despite orders to stay out.

He continued to punctuate his remarks with very impressive profanity, but the mayor did not at all mind the hard names he called him. When he finally stood before the wrathful farmer, he found him excitedly chewing his quid. The shots, nearly spent, had struck him in the side of the face, both loads hitting him, but not hard enough to draw blood.

Mayor Lang was very much relieved, but could not convince the farmer that he didn't shoot him on purpose, because he is the only Republican in that section and the mayor is a Democrat.

Foley's Honey and Tar

heals lungs and cures the cough.

PUBLIC SCHOOL NOTICE.

According to the rules of the board of education the first term of the public schools will begin on Monday, September 9, 1901. Hours 8:30 to 11:45 a. m., 1:15 to 4 p. m. The superintendent is in his office at the High School on Broadway, every day from 8 to 11 a. m. and 4 to 5 p. m. in order to issue entrance cards to new pupils, or to those who were not regularly promoted.

All white teachers will meet in the high school assembly room on Saturday, September 7, at 9 o'clock a. m. All colored teachers at the Lincoln building on Saturday, September 7 at 1:15 p. m. Respectfully,
C. R. HATFIELD, SUPT.

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PLEASANT PARTY.

Master Roy Katterjohn, at the home of his parents, 320 South Fifth street, entertained a number of his friends last night, and the occasion proved most delightful to all present. Those who partook of his hospitality were: Misses, Lillian Rehkopf, Katie Bauer, Lena Johnson, Ada Hart Miller, Virginia Johnson, Jessie Rock, Maybelle Beyer, Elizabeth Wilson, Cora Richardson, Eva Bauer, Jeanette Petter, Bernice Miller, Mamie Katterjohn and Amelia Katterjohn. Masters, Russell McLean, Louis List, George Rock, William Rock, Leslie Wilson, Joseph Johnson, John Bleich, William Rinkliffe, Clem Bleich, Earl Harrison and John Orme.

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FIVE HORSES KILLED.

Bert Myers, a prominent farmer of the Martin's Chapel neighborhood, a few miles south of town, lost five head of good horses during the storm Monday morning. The horses were in a pasture and when the storm came up sought shelter under a tree in the pasture. Lightning struck the tree and killed them instantly. The stock were valued at about \$350.—Murray Ledger.

BANNER SALVE

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MANAGER AT MAYFIELD.

The new ice company met a few nights since and elected H. C. Neale as manager of the coal and ice business. Mr. Neale declined the position and E. G. Fristoe was appointed. The company assumes full control September first.—Mayfield Messenger.

ST. MARY'S OPENING.

Classes will be resumed at St. Mary's Academy September 2. Patrons of the school who have not paid up tuition for last year will please call this week and settle old accounts before the opening of school. 3

STRAYED.

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In the meantime, perhaps these items for present use will interest you.

A Corset

Clearance.

Time is again ripe for our corset clearance. All odd lines, all broken size assortments have been gathered together, and all are marked with little regard to actual value.

One lot summer corsets, 19c.

One lot short summer corsets, 39c.

Three lots of long waisted corsets, 42c.

Two lots of \$1.00 corsets 75c.

Economy should prompt you to secure one of these bargains.

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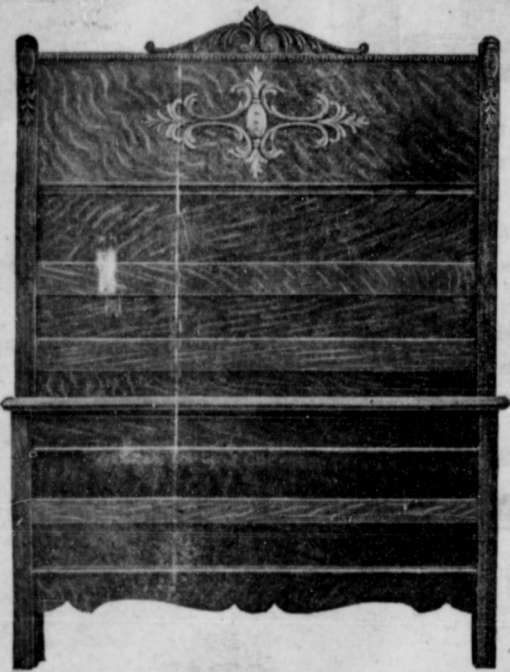
All it needs is the laundry. You'll find the best kind of picking among the different lots.

One lot lace trimmed corset covers, all French seams, 8c.

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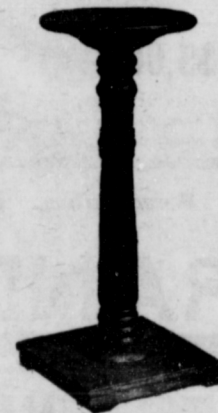
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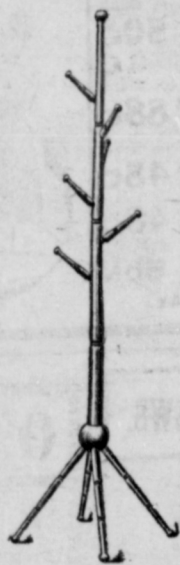


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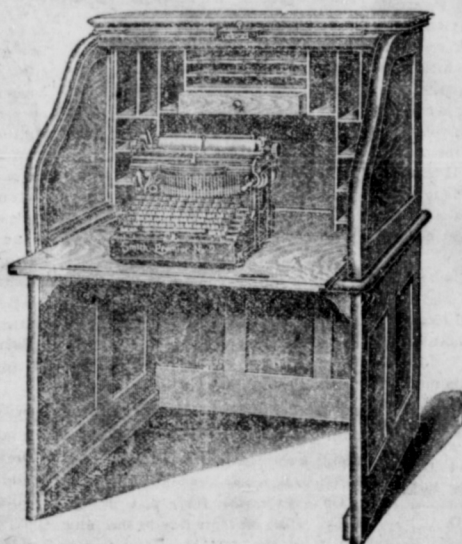
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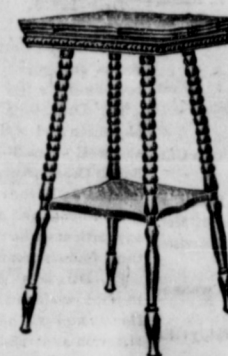
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Iron Beds	-	-	\$ 2.00 to \$35.00
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Folding Beds	-	-	9.00 to 90.00
Bed Room Suits	-	-	10.00 to 150.00
Dining Tables	-	-	2.50 to 35.00
Dining Chairs	-	-	.50 to 7.50
Side Boards	-	-	10.00 to 100.00
Buffets	-	-	7.00 to 50.00
China Closets	-	-	12.00 to 75.00
Roll-Top Office Desks	-	-	7.00 to 50.00
Flat-Top Office Desks	-	-	9.00 to 20.00
Kitchen Tables	-	-	1.00 to 4.00
Kitchen Cabinets	-	-	3.00 to 10.00
Parlor Suits	-	-	12.00 to 50.00
Leather Rockers	-	-	1.50 to 40.00
Leather Couches	-	-	20.00 to 50.00
Velour Couches	-	-	4.00 to 16.00
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Remington typewriter for sale or exchange for bicycle. C. N. Baker, Noah's Ark. 3

WANTED—Position by good, sober colored man to do any honorable work. Nelson Haynes, 317 North Seventh street. 6

FOR RENT—The Dr. Sanders' home on Broadway road. Large comfortable dwelling with 88 acres of good farming land. Address D. B. Sanders. 6

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FOR SALE—The Sun has a certificate good for \$100 in tuition in the Southern school of Osteopathy at Franklin, Ky., for sale cheap. Address the management. 1f

LOCAL LINES.

—Ella's Dream, 10c cigar. 1f

—For Dr. Pendley, phone 416.

—Try the Joe Wheeler 5c cigar. 1f

—Councilman Ed Gilson is on the sick list.

—Winstead's Laxative Phosphate for sale at all druggists.

—Born to the wife of officer Hugh Miller, yesterday morning, a fine boy.

—There are at present no cases of small pox in the pest house, and only three in the city, those being on Trimble street.

—The ladies of Trimble street church will give an ice cream supper Friday night on the lawn in front of the church.

—The ladies of the Home Mission Society, of the Broadway Methodist church, are arranging to give a handkerchief bazaar in the early fall.

—The Ladies' Mite society of the First Baptist church will meet Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock with Mrs. Street, 537 South Third street. Lesson: "Isaac, the Peacemaker."

—The last picture to be placed in the council chamber, completing the list of Mayors of Paducah, is that of Mayor James M. Lang, who is the youngest, having taken his seat when 40 years old.

—Mr. Max Wolff, traveling salesman for Friedman, Kiehl & Co., has sold to Mr. C. C. Monsett, of Dallas, Tex., the largest barrel of whiskey ever sold in the United States. The barrel was made in Cincinnati and holds 560 gallons, the capacity of more than twelve ordinary barrels.

The lunch that Bundy will set Saturday morning from 7:30 till 11 at S. B. Gott's office No. 2 will be on exhibition tomorrow from 6 a.m. until 6 p.m. Call and see it.

REAL ESTATE DEAL.

Mr. P. M. Fisher has purchased the lot at Ninth and Jefferson streets, from Mrs. Laura Fowler, for \$6750, and will probably put up a fine residence on it. The property is one of the finest pieces in Paducah.

ADJUDGED INSANE.

Marion, August 29.—Mrs. Lella Ruffell, daughter of Rev. B. A. Cundiff, was examined upon a writ of lunacy and sent to the asylum at Hopkinsville. She has been in bad health some time and the mental derangement is due to her physical condition.

LOST A FINGER.

Mr. Ernest Maxwell, an employee of the Furniture factory, met with an accident yesterday, while at work. His hand got caught in the teeth of the big steel saw and he was unable to get it extricated before he suffered the loss of a finger.

DROP IN MELONS.

The back end of a watermelon wagon broke off spilling three very fine specimens of the product on the hard brick street at Fourth and Broadway this morning and bursting them to pieces. Several little colored boys were standing near when the fruit was lost and the expression on their physiognomies were wonderful to behold. One old colored man nearly died of heart failure. The expressions on the faces of the colored spectators were very funny and caused much amusement on the street.

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About People And Social Notes.

Mrs. C. W. Emery and family will return from Chicago today.

Mrs. Fred Heilbrun and Miss May Davis will return from Chicago and Milwaukee today.

Mrs. Mary Schiel, of Cairo, is the guest of Mrs. Hugh Miller, of Broad street.

Mrs. C. J. Abbott and little daughter, Lillian, are in Louisville.

Mr. John Dougherty has returned from New York.

Misses Lillie and Rosa Bodenheimer, who have been in Chicago for a week, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Guthrie will return today from New York, Buffalo and other eastern points.

Miss Gertrude Fisk has returned from St. Paul, Milwaukee, Chicago and other northern cities.

Master Alvey and Miss Rose Langston, of South Fifth street, have returned from a pleasant visit to their uncle, J. G. Langston, of Hazel.

Mrs. Lloyd T. Wilson and children will leave today for a few days' visit to relatives in Benton.

Miss Mattie Morgan has returned from a visit to her cousin, Miss Mattie Fowler, of Martin, Tenn.

Mr. John Brooks leaves shortly for Annapolis, Md., where he will visit his brother, Overton, who is a cadet in the naval academy. He will then go to Virginia to enter the Hampton-Sidney college.

Miss Harriet Wilson, the well known school teacher, arrived from Hickman this morning.

Mr. John Ray and family, of Bardwell, are visiting Mr. Ed Miller and family, on North Fifth. Mr. Ray is a prominent attorney of Carlisle county.

Mr. J. Stoddard Robertson has returned from a three weeks' trip to Colorado and other western states.

Mr. Wm. Kelday, of Louisville, the well known insurance man, is at the Palmer.

Dr. J. C. Young, of Lowes, was at the Palmer today.

Mr. Joe Browder, of Fulton, was in the city today. Miss Etta Beckenbach returned yesterday afternoon from a trip to Chicago.

Capt. McCabe, the tie man, came up from Joppe last night.

Miss Fitzgerald, of Cairo, arrived last night on a visit.

Mrs. Mollie George and children, of Mayfield, will arrive in the city Friday to visit friends and relatives.

Miss Mary Morgan will return from Mayfield Friday after a visit to friends and relatives.

Little Miss Tessie Ray Samuels, niece of Messrs. H. M. and S. Stark, leaves today for her home in Columbia, Tenn., after a pleasant visit to Paducah friends and relatives.

Mr. Thomas Quigley went to West Virginia this morning to attend college.

Miss Irene Scott returned from Chicago this morning.

Miss Mary Hopkins, of Sikeston, Mo., is on a visit to her sister, Mrs. E. F. Westerman, of 1084 Harrison street.

Mrs. Dr. Cowgill and family went to Lincoln, Neb., today at noon.

Miss Ann Reed went to Eddyville today at noon to visit.

Master Mechanic Barton will return from Dawson tomorrow.

Miss May Frederick went to Princeton today at noon.

Miss Fannie Abram went to Louisville today at noon.

Mr. John Slaughter, the fireman at Central Station, returned today from Clinton, where he attended the bedside of Mayor George W. Bury, at noon.

Mr. Slaughter's watch was stood by Mr. John Bryant in his absence.

Mr. J. W. Lewis, of Fulton is registered at the Palmer.

Mr. Will Landrum, of Mayfield, is in the city.

Mr. R. L. Davidson, of Stanford, Ky., is at the Palmer.

Mr. Flavin Walters has returned from Chicago.

Mr. Charles Marshall has returned to Bardwell after a visit to Captain J. M. Ezell and family.

Miss Alma Thompson, of Golconda, is the guest of Miss Hortense Thurman at the St. Nicholas hotel.

Miss Annie Bradshaw and Mrs. Maude Thornberry returned from Chicago this morning.

Mrs. W. J. White and Misses Agnes and Bella Mohan returned today from Chicago.

Prof. J. E. Snider, principal of the Longfellow Building, has returned from Louisville and Bardstown.

Mrs. C. E. Grisdley, of Paris, Tenn., is in the city.

Mr. E. N. Burris, of the Evansville Coffin Company, is in the city. He was made an Elk a few days ago, and

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Special School Sale Suits For One Week.



Grand Leader in Popular Prices. // GRAND LEADER is the name of our store. // "Grand Leader" because we set the pace // "Grand Leader" because we are up-to-date. We lead, others follow. Our prices quoted below will be a Grand Leader for our store. Mothers, bring your boys and let us convince you that the Grand Leader is your friend. Remember this sale lasts one week only. Our show windows will keep you posted on the many styles for fall. 1,000 suits to select from, all sizes. Never in the history of Paducah has a clothing sale equalled this one. We guarantee every suit sold just as advertised or money back. We mean business. Make our store your tracing point. This sale for one week only. Now is the time to purchase your winter clothing. Start in right. We carry a full line of Gents' Furnishings, Shoes, Hats, Trunks, Valises, etc.

\$1.25	\$2.00	\$2.50	\$3.50	\$2.00	\$1.50
Boys' all-wool Scotch striped Cassimer and Worsted suits, sizes 6 to 14, very well and up-to-date; regular price \$4.50; go for one week only at \$2.50.	Boys' Long Pants, sizes from 27 to 33—best on earth—Cassimers, Scotch and Cheviots; regular price \$2.50; must be sold this week for \$2.	Boys' all-wool Scotch striped Cassimer and Worsted suits, sizes 6 to 14, very well and up-to-date; regular price \$4.50; go for one week only at \$2.50.	Boys' all-wool Scotch striped Cassimer and Worsted suits, sizes 6 to 14, very well and up-to-date; regular price \$4.50; go for one week only at \$2.50.	Boys' all-wool Scotch and worsted suits, sizes 6 to 14, coat and pants, suit worth \$4, go for one week only at \$2.	Boys' Long Pants, sizes from 27 to 33, Irish Worsted; elegant patterns; regular price \$1.75; go for one week only at \$1.50.
50c	\$1.00	\$1.25	\$1.50	\$4.00	25c
100 dozen boys' Knee Pants, sizes 4 to 15, Worsted, Cassimers and Cheviots; regular price 75c to \$1. 3 dozen corduroy pants in this lot, all go for one week at 50c.	3 dozen boys' pants, full length, sizes 27 to 33, all wool, Scotch effect; regular price \$1.50; go for one month only, at \$1.	10 dozen Boys' pants, Irish Worsted, full length sizes 27 to 33; pin stripes, the very latest; regular price \$1.75; go for one week only, commencing Saturday, at \$1.25.	Boys' Cheviots and Worsted suits, very snappy, three piece, with fancy vest; sizes 3 to 8; and Cassimer boys' suits, sizes 6 to 14, coat and pants, worth \$3.50, go for one week only at \$1.50.	50 youths suits, extra fine grade of Scotch and Worsted; all the latest fash, sizes as above; three lots, in all making 200 suits, must be sold this week; regular price \$5.50, go at \$4.	50 dozen boys' Knee Pants, sizes 4 to 15, Irish Worsted; elegant patterns; regular price 50c; go for one week only, commencing Saturday, at 25c.
\$5.00	\$2.50	\$8.00	\$1.75	\$6.00	\$7.00
Youths all-wool gray Vicuna Suits, sizes 15 to 19, worth \$5.50 go for one week, commencing Saturday, at \$5.	50 Youths Suits, all-wool Scotch Cassimer and Worsted, very late patterns, sizes 13, 14, 15 and 16, must be closed out this week; regular price \$4.50, go at \$2.50.	Youths Striped Worsted Suits, sizes 15 to 19; new fall effects; real value \$10, must go this week at \$8.	Boys' Long Pants, sizes from 27 to 33, Scotch and Cheviots, all new fall stock, regular price \$2, go for this week only at \$1.75.	Youths all-wool latest shade Green Scotch, with pin stripes, very well for young gens, sizes 15 to 19, actual value \$8.50, go for one week at \$6.	Youths' blue-figure, Cassimer suits, sizes 25 to 31, all new and up-to-date; regular price, \$9; must go this week for \$7.

Remember we carry all grades of Fine Clothing for Men and Boys and can suit the most fastidious in taste. This sale lasts for one week. Give us a call and be convinced.

GRAND LEADER, 323 BROADWAY.

says the Evansville boys made him eat a bale of hay, and had it loaded.

BENT ON MURDER

Jim Spriggs Was Attacked By Mother of the Dead Girl.

SHE CHOKED HIM

The Officers Finally Released Her—Some Little Excitement Resulted.

TRIAL FOR MURDER BEGINS

Dr. L. J. Otis, of Nashville, Tenn., is in the city, having taken charge of the Battle Creek treatment rooms on Court street, which have been closed a few weeks past.

Dr. Otis is a regular graduated physician and is thoroughly competent and will vered in all the famous Battle Creek treatments. It is his intention to have the rooms here strictly up-to-date and able to take care of any patients who may have need of these famous treatments.

Dr. Otis says he finds everything in good condition but it is his intention at an early date to add to the institution and make it thorough in every appointment.

He is ready for treatments now and will serve all who come. Telephone 664 or address him for any information you may wish at 803 Court street. All tickets issued by Mr. Jared will be honored by Dr. Otis.

TO THE PUBLIC.

To our many friends we wish to say that the Hod Carriers' union No. 2 will not celebrate Labor day as we failed to get the park. Our union name was used falsely to get the park. Rather than to put any person or persons to trouble we concluded to take everything fair and easy and not turn out Labor day as we were wrongfully treated. We were first among the colored people to celebrate Labor day and what a grand time we had with the assistance of our friends. You all know the Hod Carriers' union is qualified to transact their own business and take care of itself and its business. Don't give us out. We will be with you again next year.

HOD CARRIERS' UNION NO. 2.

BASKET EXCURSION.

There will be a basket excursion on board the fast steamer Dick Fowler, Sunday, September 1, from Paducah to Eddyville. This will be the last excursion of the season and the people who enjoy a delightful river trip should not miss it. The river is at a fine boating stage and the return will be made by moonlight. The schedule is as follows:

Leaving here promptly at 8:30 a. m., the Fowler will reach Eddyville in time for all on board to visit the penitentiary and other points of interest. Returning she will reach the wharf here at 9 p. m.

THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight and Friday.

When she fell he walked away. The other witnesses examined were Eliza Rogers, mother of the girl, Irene Davis, and Lucy Schaffner, all colored. The latter's evidence was about as damaging as could have been found.

She swore that last spring while she and Spriggs and the girl were at the latter's home, deceased and Spriggs had a quarrel and he shot at her, the bullet grazing her face. She swore that late in June after Fattrell had walked home with the girl from "Canaan," Spriggs met them and after remonstrating with the girl for going with Fattrell, said: "That nigger will be the cause of me killing you yet."

Thus far the commonwealth has made out a strong case.

The attorneys for the defense are Taylor, Huskins and Caldwell and Hendrick and Miller.

Attorney Graves represents the prosecution.

Court adjourned at noon until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

POLICE COURT.

The minor cases in the police court this morning were:

Drew Starrett, breach of the peace, \$5 and costs.

Eliza Rogers, colored, who choked Jim Spriggs, the murderer, was charged with a breach of the peace, but the warrant on motion of the prosecuting attorney was dismissed.

H. L. Clark, the young man arrested at Fulton on a charge of breaking into Graham's saloon and taking two pistols, was acquitted, being the wrong man.

Frank Lawrence and Mat Miller were fined \$1 and costs for a plain drunk.

Monroe Hutchinson, colored, wanted on an old warrant for house breaking, was arrested last night by Officer Tom Potter and the case was continued.

A petty larceny case against Parish Jones was dismissed.

MINISTER VERY ILL.

Marion, August 29.—Rev. R. H. Adams is very ill at the home of his father-in-law, Mr. S. Hodge, of Princeton, and there is but little hope of his recovery. He is suffering with a disease of the heart. Prof. Adams is well known in this city, where he resided for many years, and his numerous friends here and over the county will regret to hear of his illness.

Rev. Adams' present home is in Bowling Green, Mo., where he is the pastor of the Presbyterian church.

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Meals and berth included.

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at prices that is below all competition.

OXFORD TIES, STRAP SLIPPERS, CUT TO COST AND BELOW

64 pairs women's oxfords, small sizes only, cut from \$2.50, \$2.00 and \$1.50 to..... 50c

24 pairs misses strap slippers with bow and buckle, in red, black and tan cut from \$1.50 and \$1.00 for..... 88c

22 pair women's button shoes with pat tip, cut from \$1.50 to..... 48c

10 pair child's slippers cut to..... 48c

Infants soft soles, all colors cut to..... 23c

48 pair women's strap slippers with heel cut from \$1.25 and 1.50 to..... 98c

Choice of any ladies \$3.50 oxford tie in pat. leather or pat. velor or enamel, cut to..... \$2.50

These goods are the finest.

Man's oxford ties in pat. leather and kid cut to..... 78c

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